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A two (2) month extension of time, from April 28, 2006 to and including June 28, 2006 is requested to respond to the Office Action dated March 28, 2006 in the above-referenced application. A credit card payment form in the amount of \$120.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for this extension of time.

Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments that may be required to our Deposit Account No. 03-1721.

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